## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Allan D. Morrison

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For: STORAGE CONTAINER FOR A BIOLOGICAL SAMPLE AND METHOD

FOR ANALYZING THE SAMPLE

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## AMENDMENT AND SUBMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

Applicants file this Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 in response to the Final Office Action dated November 9, 2010 ("Office Action"). A Request for Continued Examination ("RCE") and a request for a three-month extension of time is also included. The three-month extension brings the deadline for filing the response to May 9, 2011. Should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Fulbright & Jaworski Deposit Account No. 50-1212/BSDR P0002US/11008914.

An Amendment to the Claims is provided at page 2 of this paper.

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